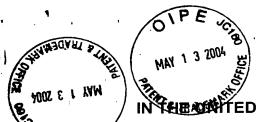
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Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed January 14, 2004, please amend the above-identified patent application as follows. A one-month extension of time has been requested and the corresponding fee paid extending the time period of response until May 14, 2004.